(a) the name of such departments under his Ministry which don't have a single Hindi typewriter so far;

(b) the reasons for not purchasing the Hindi typewriters there so far; and

(c) the action taken to ensure the compliance of targets fixed for the purchases of Hindi typewriters by the Department of Official Language in its annual Hindi programme ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY): (a) There is no such office under this Ministry.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Hindi Typewriting devices are being progressively replaced by computers, The progress is reviewed in the meetings of Official Language Implementation Committee of the Ministry.

Bill Clinton's Address to Parliament

3136. SHRI KARTAR SINGH DUGGAL : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that we asked for an astronomic fee for the feed of live telecast of President Bill Clinton's address to the Joint House of Parliament the other day;

(b) how many agencies could subscribe to it and at what fee; and

(c) how does the fee prescribed compare with similar facility provided earlier to agencies abroad ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(c) Prasar Bharati have intimated that considering the additional deployment of hardware personnel and software, the fee prescribed compares favourably with similar facilities provided earlier.